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## INVESTIGATION INTO DEATH OF BECK IS BEGUN

Inquest Held in Oklahoma City Saturday Draws Large Crowd.

### AVIATORS PRESENT

Judge Day Who Killed Army Officer Sticks To His Story.

Oklahoma City, April 8.—Flying against a drizzling rain—and sometimes a downpour—from the low hanging clouds, eight airplanes, spread in battle formation, swept into Oklahoma City this morning.

Their oil spattered pilots, up at down, "gave 'em the gun" grimly determined to win their fight on a battle field new to them—the civilian court room, where the body of their slain commander, Lieut. Col. Paul Ward Beck, lay in inquest.

Beck was shot and killed by Jean P. Day, former justice of the supreme court, and millionaire oil man, in the latter's home here in the small hours of Tuesday morning, after Day says he found the airman in an attack upon his wife.

Since that hour all Oklahoma has taken sides in the case, Day's story is an age old tale—a story of misplaced trust.

Day, it was believed will not change his story before the inquest. He will insist, that he found Beck attacking his wife and that Beck was killed by accident when Day dealt him a blow over the head with the revolver.

It is to refute this story, the airmen who served under Beck's command at Fort Sill's aviation field, have come to the inquest. They are headed by Beck's son and by his nephew, Lieut. John W. Beck, whose father—Colonel Beck's brother—was slain under mysterious circumstances several years ago.

One of the largest crowds ever attending a court inquiry here is expected to seek admittance to the inquest room.

Two witnesses have been called. Day himself will testify. His wife, also will tell of the events preceding the tragedy. She will say, however that from the moment she saw her husband, revolver in hand, her mind is a blank as to the actual shooting of the airman.

Mrs. Rachel Beck, 77 years old, mother of the slain man, arrived here for a last view of her son's body this morning. She was accompanied by the wives of Army officers from Fort Sill.

"It is not true—it cannot be true," Mrs. Beck said, crying softly. "My boy could not do the thing they say."

The airman's mother is a tragic figure.

Her years rest heavily upon her. Her life has been a series of tragedies—"tragic milestones which dot my weary path," she said.

A pioneer of the early west—an army man's wife, in the distant Indian fighting days of Oklahoma, Mrs. Beck settled at Fort Sill. Her husband died. Then she wed Brig. General William Beck.

Mrs. Beck will not attend the inquest.

### WOMAN AIDS IN ROBBING FLATS

Mrs. Gertrude Hartung, pretty wife of Paul Hartung, confessed Chicago burglar, has told police how she acted as a "lookout" and wheeling her baby as a blind, walked up and down in front of fashionable North Side Chicago apartment houses while her husband prowled as a burglar inside. The baby buggy she is said to have declared, was used to haul away loot from fifty flats.

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### REAINING HEALTH

Cleveland, April 8.—Mrs. Hugh L. Nichols, of Batavia, wife of the former chief justice of the Ohio supreme court, is resting comfortably at a Cleveland hospital after an operation. Mrs. Nichols has been in poor health for several months and it is said that as a result of the operation she will entirely recover.

Ballinger, Texas, reported six people killed and Dothan, in Eastland county, reported a cloudburst. The Millings Sanitarium at Cisco was completely wrecked but no loss of life reported.

The left field wall of the Marine baseball park in Dallas was blown down and part of the roof of the grand stand ripped off.

Brownwood reported a cyclone near Rowena, Runnels county and 14 persons were killed and much property damaged.

It is thought he planned to drink the deadly liquid when left alone.

Rose Coghlan, Actress, Almost Destitute.



Rose Coghlan

## CHANGE OF MIND SAVES LIVES OF TWO AMERICANS

Had Decided to Make Trip on Ill-fated Plane From London

### SIX ARE KILLED

Express Craft Collide 70 Miles North of Paris Late Friday.

Lodon, April 8.—A last minute change of mind probably saved the lives of two American women who were booked to make the trip in the Paris airplane express which collided with another machine with the loss of six lives, it was learned today. The women are Mrs. T. Berst and Miss Lock. They said that they had intended to fly to Paris but changed their plans on account of the foggy condition of the weather.

The Daimler company, which operated the English machine, had no planes running today on account of mist.

Mrs. Berst is a resident of Erie, Pa. She was accompanied on her trip by her daughter, Louise. Mrs. Berst knew the Yales and tried to persuade them that flying was not safe in foggy weather. Her fears were ridiculed.

Paris, April 8.—Six persons were killed yesterday when airplanes on the Paris-London aerial express route collided over the village of Thieuloy, 70 miles north of Paris, and crashed to earth.

### The Dead Are.

BRUCE YALE, a New York exporter, and his wife, who were homeward bound by way of England in the French machine.

M. BOURIEZ, another passenger in the French machine.

AVIATOR MIRE, pilot of the French machine.

MIRE'S MECHANIC.

Cabin boy of English machine.

The entire personnel of both machines except Pilot R. E. Duke of the English craft, met death, either in the crash or in the flames that followed it.

Duke was seriously injured. It was asserted that the American victims of the disaster had registered at a Paris hotel as Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Bruce.

The British machine had only been in use three days on the express route. It belonged to a new company operating a Paris-London service.

The accident occurred during a fog, the pilots seeing each other too late to avoid a collision.

Five persons from the machine were dead when inhabitants of the village of Thieuloy arrived on the scene shortly after the crash, and the sixth victim was dying.

## FIRST STRIKE ARREST IN SECTION MADE

Wheeling, W. Va., April 8.—The first arrest in the Pan-handle district of West Virginia in the coal strike occurred at Benwood when John Moiask, alleged strike sympathizer, was taken by a deputy sheriff for an assault upon a non-union miner.

In Marshall county, two mines are working 35 and 15 per cent respectively, all others being closed.

### TO START HORSES.

Stephen G. Phillips, of Piqua and Zanesville, formerly of this city, has been booked to start the horses at both the Grand Circuit meetings at North Randall, Cleveland, this summer, it has been announced. Mr. Phillips has had previous experience starting the steppers on the Grand Circuit.

### CLOUD BURST COMES

Wheeling, W. Va., April 8.—At 3 o'clock this morning a near cloud burst drenched the Ohio valley, with .94 of an inch registered at Wheeling.

### PUBLIC TAUGHT TO WATCH FOR BETTER GRADES

Through advertising it might be said that the public has been taught to look for the better grades of merchandise—to seek those goods that QUALITY has branded as desirable.

Yet, price, in itself, is not a substitute for quality, and like-wise quality, standing alone, is not the most important factor.

But—a price that is honestly justified together with quality that is nearly perfect as honest goods and honest workmanship can make it, forms a combination that will work wonders in a sales way.

PROVIDING, however, that through intelligent newspaper advertising this combination is emphatically, interestingly and persistently made known to the buying public,

He Did His Best to Stop Sherman's March to Sea



C. C. Holcombe

## C. A. THOMPSON CANDIDATE FOR OHIO GOVERNOR

Clevelander Saturday Announces He Will Seek Nomination.

### FIFTH TO ENTER

Has Had Long Career In Public Service of Country.

Cleveland, O., April 8.—Stressing the duty of loyalty to the national administration and placing success of the Republican party at the pious in November ahead of "the amount of any person for leadership," Colonel Carmi A. Thompson, of Cleveland, today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Governor of Ohio.

In making his announcement which was in the form of a letter to D. C. Davies, of Ironton, chairman of the Republican executive committee of Lawrence County, Col. Thompson's old home, the candidate did not outline a definite platform on state issues, pointing out "there are many state issues, which will be covered in our party platform to be adopted in accordance with law, after the primaries, and upon that platform the Republican candidate for governor must ultimately stand."

"If I did not feel that my business experience and my familiarity with public affairs would enable me to render service to the state, I would not seek this nomination," Col. Thompson declared. "Any voter, in casting his or her vote at the primaries, should consider solely the good of the party, the good of the state and the good of the nation."

"There are many distinctly state issues which will be covered in our party platform, to be adopted, in accordance with law, after the primaries, and upon that platform the Republican candidate for governor must ultimately stand, but national issues cannot and should not be excluded from the campaign. Ohio's Republican president is looking to his own state for approval and earnest support of the manner in which he has borne the great responsibility and conducted the affairs of the national administration during the most trying period since the civil war."

Col. Thompson has had a long and varied career as a public official. Born in Lawrence County 51 years ago, he had to go to work early and his first job was that of a trapper boy in the southern Ohio mines. He is a graduate of the Ohio State University, served three terms as city solicitor of Ironton; two terms as member of the lower house of the Ohio general assembly, in the last term being speaker of that body; four years as secretary of state of Ohio and was appointed successively by President Taft as assistant secretary of the interior, secretary to the president and treasurer of the United States. President Harding appointed him a member of the advisory committee to the recent Washington armament conference and as chairman of the sub committee on new methods and new weapons of warfare he drafted a resolution, which was later adopted by the powers represented prohibiting the use of poison gasses, in warfare.

Secretary of State Harvey C. Smith of Zanesville, Senator Arthur H. Day of Cleveland; Speaker Rupert R. Beetham, of Cadiz, and C. Homer Durand, a Coshocton lawyer have heretofore announced that they will seek the Republican nomination.

It is expected that within the next few days Congressman Knight of Akron will announce, while friends say that former Congressman Roscoe McCulloch, of Canton, a candidate two years ago, when Gov. Harry L. Davis won out in a three-cornered fight will likewise play his castor into the ring.

It is not believed, however, that James A. White, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League will become a candidate, despite statements from Columbus indicating that possibility.

On the Democratic side, former state auditor A. V. Donahey, of New Philadelphia, thus far has the field to himself, but this condition will not continue long, men high in the party councils here declare. Former Chief Justice Hugh L. Nichols, of Batavia, is considered a probable candidate as is Thomas J. Duffy of East Liverpool, a state official since the days of Governor Harmon and former labor leader.

Whether or not George A. White, of Marietta, former chairman of the Democratic national committee will seek the nomination is uncertain.

Charging that she has found fourteen "love letters" to her husband from Norma Gormally, famed actress Mrs. Theresa Jacobs is suing for separation from her husband, Max Jacobs conductor of the New York Orchestral Society. Her husband has countered with a suit for annulment of their marriage. They were wed two months ago.

Washington, April 8.—Cincinnati baseball fans are to be at Union station tonight to welcome Pat Moran and his Cincinnati Reds when they arrive from Louisville, where they succeeded yesterday in defeating the American association players by score of 15 to 6. The first game on the local diamond will be played Sunday then the Reds clash with the Boston Americans. Monday there will be an exhibition game between the Reds and the university of Cincinnati team.

### ARREST IS CIVIL ACTION

Washington, April 8.—The arrest of General Gregorio Benavente, the noted cossack leader in Siberia, in New York at the instance of an American exporting firm, is purely a civil action, in which the U. S. government is not concerned one way or the other. It was said at the state department today. No political significance is attached to it, it was stated.

Each day, apparently, brings a clash nearer between the Irish free state troops and the mutinous members of the I. R. A. The situation here is very tense as well as upon the Ulster frontier. Tension in Dublin was intensified by an attack last night upon the headquarters of the Irish free state troops.

Dayton, O., April 8.—W. H. Martin, prominent Mason and church worker, was killed, his automobile demolished and the new Packard Police Car so badly wrecked it can not be repaired, in a collision last night, while police were answering a burglar alarm, which later proved to be false.

Martin was crushed about the chest and broken ribs penetrated his lungs resulting in death an hour later.

Martin is survived by his widow and two children.

Two police reporters were also injured in the crash.

Son of Ex-Emperor Is Named Austrian King



Otto of Austria

## CONFERENCE TO TRY REDUCTION OF LAND FORCES

Genoa Meeting to See Great Concerted Move Toward Peace.

### POWERS TAKE PART

U. S. Only Big Nation of World Not Represented at Parley.

Genoa, April 8.—The first great concerted movement since the world war to reduce Europe's land armaments as a safeguard for international peace will be undertaken when the general economic conference of the powers opens here on Monday.

Premier Lloyd George of England, through whose initiative the Genoa conference was summoned, will be the leading spirit in the movement to cut down the European armies. The only marked opposition is expected to come from France. Poland and the former claiming to fear Germany and the latter professing to see a military menace in Russia.

All of the great powers of the world, with the exception of the United States will participate in the conference. Turkey was the only nation that did not get a formal invitation to take part.

A number of Europe's best known statesmen, including Premier Lloyd George of England and George Tchitcherin, commissar for foreign affairs in the Moscow soviet government, already are on the ground. Informal conferences will be held tomorrow.

The Genoa conference promises to rank in importance with the Paris peace conference. This is the first time that the allies have had an opportunity to meet the Russians face to face in friendly debate over the great issues which threaten Europe with chaos and financial ruin.

Among the nations represented here are: Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium, Japan, Russia, Germany, Switzerland, Spain, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia, Poland and a number of the Latin American countries.

Roughly the problems which the statesmen will try to solve are:

1—Reduction of land armaments.

2—Balancing of budgets.

3—Re-opening of Russia to foreign trade.

4—Assistance of Russia and Germany with credits on certain conditions.

5—Restoration of peace in the near east where the Greeks and Turkish nationalists have been at war, so that the near east can be opened up for commerce and trade.

6—Creation of general economic agreements to foster business relations between the former belligerents.

Whether German indemnity will be considered is not known. Premier Poincaré has announced that the French delegation will not permit this question to be taken up. On the other hand, the Germans contend that it will be impossible to reconstruct Europe commercially unless their indemnity burden is lightened. Both the British and the French have united in the statement that neither the Versailles treaty nor any other treaty will be revised.

Premier Lloyd George has taken the Washington conference for his model and in his opening speech on Monday he may explode a bombshell similar to the history-making speech of Secretary of State Hughes in opening the Washington conference.

## CHURCH WORKER IS KILLED IN SMASH

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## WORLD MOVING TOWARD PEACE SAYS CHURCHILL

## ROSS TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL GIVES BANQUET FRIDAY

Members of the Ross Township High School basketball teams, Coach W. R. Collins and members of the Ross Township Independents were honor guests at a banquet given by students and teachers of the high school Wednesday evening.

The banquet was given in the school gymnasium, and there were covers for 65 people. Superintendent Collins acted as toastmaster after the banquet, captains and managers of the teams responding impromptu with brief talks, including a talk by Prof. C. W. Hemmer, cheer leader. Surprising Coach Collins a beautiful gold watch chain was presented to him by Walter Cummings in behalf of the high school teams.

Ross Township High teams enjoyed a successful basketball season this year, the girls attaining the most success on the court by winning 12 out of 15 games, and defeating every girls' high school team in the county by large scores. Near the end of the season, after winning 12 straight games, the sextette took a serious slump. Injuries to two members of the team and an epidemic of mumps which attacked every girl on the team, caused the slump and cost the team two games and the county champion-

ship. The girls piled up a total of 470 points during the season, to 81 scored by their opponents, before going into the tournament. The scores of the girls' games follow: Ross 33; Osborn 4; Ross 32; Beavercreek 2; Ross 59; Bellbrook 1; Ross 74; Caesarcreek 1; Ross 74; Bath 4; Ross 14; Beavercreek 6; Ross 15; Jamestown 4; Ross 19; Jamestown 5; Ross 29; Cedarville 11; Ross 49; Bellbrook 0; Ross 28; Bath 7; Ross 29; Yellow Springs 5; Ross 9; Cedarville 14; Ross 16; Yellow Springs 17; Ross 5; Cedarville 8 (tournament).

### REGULAR BONDED LIQUOR RETURNED TO CAFE OWNER

Dayton, O., April 8.—Twenty quarts of regularly bonded drinking liquor were ordered returned to John Stalzer, proprietor of a soft drink parlor. The liquor was taken in a raid some time ago. Stalzer went before the judge and convinced the court that this whiskey was obtained before Mr. Volstead got his law into effect and the order returning it was entered. There was great rejoicing in the heart of Stalzer thereat.

### PERFORM OPERATION

Charles Raymond Strain, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strain, of West Second Street, was brought to his home Friday afternoon, from the Springfield city hospital, where he underwent a serious operation Wednesday. The child has been crippled from birth, the operation being the second he has undergone and it will be necessary for him to lie in a plaster of paris encasement, for about three months. The operation was performed by Dr. Links.

### COURT NEWS

**CHILDREN INHERIT ESTATE**

All of the estate of Margaret J. Brakefield, late of Jefferson township, including both real and personal property, was left to the testator's three step-children and to her own children to be divided equally, share and share alike, according to the will adduced to probate by Judge J. Carl Marshall.

The three step-children are Mary Little, David A. Brakefield, and Elizabeth Brakefield and the testator's own children are Olney O. Brakefield, Armida H. Anderson, John A. Brakefield, Hattie Holmes, Rachel Eveleen Copes, Thomas Jefferson Brakefield, W. A. Brakefield, Sophronia Lynch, William Hargrave, H. M. Brakefield and Lena May Hoppes.

O. Brakefield was appointed executor, and furnished \$3,000 bond, the court appointing W. K. Shely, Jacob Hargrave and B. B. Stackhouse appraisers.

**NO INHERITANCE TAX DUE**

No inheritance tax is due on the estate of Mary E. Smith, according to a probate court finding. The gross value of the estate was \$5,542.65 and the debts and costs of administration \$995.58, leaving \$4547.07 for distribution. M. S. Smith, Hazel A. Anderson and Harry M. Smith each receive a one-third share, each share

## A FRIEND IN NEED A FRIEND INDEED

Writes Mrs. Hardee Regarding Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Los Angeles, Calif.—"I must tell you that I am a true friend to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken it off and on for twenty years and it has helped me change from a delicate girl to a stout, healthy woman. When I was married I was sick all the time until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and took eight bottles and used the Sanative Wash. I at once began to get stronger. I have got many women to take it just by telling them what it has done for me. I have a young sister whom it has helped in the same way it helped me. I want you to know that I am a 'friend indeed,' for you were a 'friend in need.' —Mrs. GEORGE HARDEE, 1043 Byram St., Los Angeles, California.

Let Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound be a "friend indeed" to you.

being less than the legal exemption allowed.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE

Cleve Bobbitt, 28, of 6 East Market Street, laborer, and Edith Marie Cox, 18, Jamestown R. R. 5, Rev. Bertha Day.

Frank S. Linkhart, 55, Xenia, R. R. 1, farmer and Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder, 52, Xenia. Rev. E. W. Middleton.

### WILBERFORCE

Miss Mary Helen Gaines, who went to Cincinnati to spend the spring vacation, has returned to school.

Misses Marjorie Seals, Madeline Davis and Beatrice Wright spent Sunday in Jamestown.

Mrs. B. J. Highwarden, matron of Mitchell Hall, was called to Cincinnati Saturday because of the serious illness of her brother, Dr. Frank Johnson.

Mr. Sylvester Broderick, a native of South Africa, studying at Oberlin College, Westerville, Ohio, spent several days visiting the departments of the school last week.

Mr. Charles Fricke, of Dayton, a deputy in the County Treasurer's office of Montgomery County, was a visitor in the community Sunday.

Miss Alberta Robinson, who has resided in Arnett Hall, has moved to the residence of Mr. Louis Haman.

Miss Carolyn Payne, Physical Instructor of the young women, spent the week end in Cincinnati.

Miss Eleanor Edwards, who has been in Yellow Springs on account of illness, has returned to school.

Miss Bessie Mitchell, who has been in the southern part of Florida during the winter representing a publication house of literature for the training of children, has returned home and will remain for a few weeks before taking up her work in the northern states.

Supt. W. M. Berry, Mr. S. J. Richards and Mr. W. T. Hughes motored to Cincinnati Sunday to see Dr. Frank Johnson, President of the C. N. I. Board, who is seriously ill at his residence.

The girls of the Varsity Basket Ball team went to Cincinnati last Saturday and met the young women of the city. The team tied and five minutes was given to decide the game, the home girls won by a score of 14 to 13.

The juniors of the Elementary Teachers' Training Course of the Normal Department closed their terms' work in English with a very interesting debate Thursday afternoon in the Assembly Room of Bundy Hall. Miss Anna A. H. O. Williamson, the instructor was in charge and acted as director. The subject for debate was, "Resolved, That Modern Social, Manners and Customs Have Lowered our Moral Ideas." Those taking the affirmative were Misses Robbie Arnold, Thelma Gray and Mr. Lloyd Lewis. The negative, Misses Pauline Jackson, Jane Joseph and Dorothy Lewis.

The judges were Supt. W. M. Berry, Mrs. J. T. Washington, Dean of the women and Mrs. Addie Thomas, who decided in favor of the negative side by a vote of two to one.

Saturday evening the young women of the Junior E. T. C. Department entertained their friends in the Reception Room of Arnett Hall from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. The room was beautifully decorated with their class colors, old gold and white, which added much to the beauty of the room. Games and music were enjoyed by all, after which refreshments were served and small baskets of candy were passed around as souvenirs.

The Eighth Annual National Negro Health Week, under the auspices of the Annual Tuskegee Negro Conference, The National Negro Business League, the National Urban League and National Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, of which Miss Hallie Q. Brown is President, started the program Sunday morning in the auditorium of Galloway Hall last Sunday. The speakers were Pres. J. A. Gregg and Miss Hallie Q. Brown.

The program as arranged for the week is as follows: the 2nd, Sermon and Lecture Day; the 3rd, Hygiene Day; the 4th, "Swat the Fly" Day; the 5th, Children's Health Day; the 6th, Tuberculosis Day; the 7th, Church Sanitation Day; the 8th, General Clean-Up Day.

The funeral of Mrs. A. J. White was held Friday morning at 11 o'clock in the Auditorium of Galloway Hall and was largely attended by the instructors of the various departments, students and people of the community. The university, C. N. I. Department and Payne Theological Seminary dismissed classes from ten o'clock in the morning until two o'clock in the afternoon. The services were in charge of Rev. P. S. Hill, assisted by Pres. J. A. Gregg and Chaplain T. G. Steward. The ladies of the Mite Missionary Society and Neighborhood Club, of which the deceased was president at the time of her death, wore white flowers and attended in a body, also the Senior Class of the College of which Mrs. White was a member came in a body. Many floral offerings were sent from the General Faculty, church societies and sororities of the school. The pall bearers were Dean Gilbert, H. Jones, Mr. E. Champ Warrick, Mr. George Davis, Mr. F. R. McGinnis, Mrs. B. H. Green, Mr. R. Nolan Pyrtle; and honorary, Mr. Charles Johnson, Mr. Shadrach Jones, Mr. Charles Points, Jr., Mr. Norman Shields, Mr. A. C. Ginn and Dean George F. Woodson. Several songs were sung by the choir of the school followed by prayer by Dr. George Henderson. Dr. Henderson read resolutions from the General Faculty. Mrs. J. T. Washington, Dean of the women read the resolutions sent by the Neighborhood Club, and Mrs. Edna Woodson read the resolutions from the Mite Missionary Society. Dean George F. Woodson read extracts from resolutions sent by the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. and the sororities of the school. In the procession Misses Edna Johnson, Josephine Hill, Gertrude Clark, Alroma M. Ford, Grace Woodson, M. Kathryn Anthony served as a committee of flower girls. After a short funeral discourse by Rev. P. S. Hill and Chaplain T. G. Steward, the remains were taken to Tarbox Cemetery where interment was made.

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made from one part white of the egg to six parts water. This is painted over the skin and retained for 20 minutes while it contracts the pores.

Mrs. S.—If you send me a stamped addressed envelope, I shall be glad to mail you a diet chart as there is not space to publish such a list of foods at this time.

B. L. A.—After the pores have become distended, it takes a long time to get any permanent results in contracting them. Professional treatments will hasten this improvement, but you can help yourself with this if you always close the pores after bathing, by dashing very cold water over the face and throat.

### INJURED BY COLT

Joseph Keiter, of between Lumberton and New Burlington, received a fractured pelvis, when a colt backed into him and pushed him through a barn door at his home recently. Mr. Keiter was in a box stall with the animal when it became fractious. Dr. R. L. Haines set the fracture, which is considered serious.

## TO ASSUME OFFICE AT SPRING VALLEY

Francis M. Hiett, newly appointed postmaster at Spring Valley, will assume the duties of the office April 17.

Mr. Hiett, whose notification of appointment was received some time ago, received his commission as postmaster Monday. At that time he was instructed to report to Cincinnati next Tuesday to take a short course of instructions, before assuming charge of the office.

The new postmaster is a Republican and succeeds G. V. Sims, Democrat, who has held the office two terms.

### COMMITS SUICIDE

Concordia, Kas., April 8.—L. G. Tremblay, father of the family who were victims of the axe fiend, near here Tuesday night when one person was slain and five others injured, committed suicide this morning

## CUTICURA HEALS ECZEMA ON CHILD

On Face and Neck, In Pimples, Itched and Burned.

"When my sister was ten months old eczema broke out on her face and neck in small pimples, which spread rapidly. It itched and burned so she was unable to sleep, and her body was a mass of sore eruptions. She had to be carried around on a pillow."

"A friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment and after using one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. J. S. Smith, Box 118, Lakota, No. Dakota.

Give Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum the care of your skin.

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## BEAUTY CHATS

by EDNA KENT FORRESTER

Diet Menus in Hotels

A New York hotel is trying an experiment so important that I wish every hotel in the country would follow its example. It compiles every day a special menu card on which several different diets are listed.

If you are on a particular sort of diet if you are suffering from any special complaint, or if you have any tendency towards certain physical troubles you will find the right foods selected here for you.

Diet No. 1 is for those suffering from intestinal irregularities.

Diet No. 2 is for fat people and contains only thinning foods.

Diet No. 3 is for diabetes.

Hyperactivity and such troubles are catered for by Diet 4.

Diet No. 5 is for colitis, malnutrition, underweight people and convalescents. Being of simple, easily digestible, nourishing foods this is also

particularly recommended for children.

Diet No. 6 is for arterio-sclerosis, high blood pressure, faulty kidneys or for those of advanced age or for those who have angina-pectoris.

Diet No. 7 is for those suffering from rheumatism, gout or neuritis.

Each menu varies with every meal, and each is scientifically compiled by a diet specialist. If the guest knows the number of the class he falls under all he need do is to whisper the waiter that he wants diet number so and so.

Bessie—After massaging the chin a simple treatment can be used to close the pores and harden the skin. This may be done by dashing cold water over the chin and neck followed up by gentle friction from a coarse towel or just an ice rub, until the skin glows. Witch hazel is another mild astringent. A powerful astringent is

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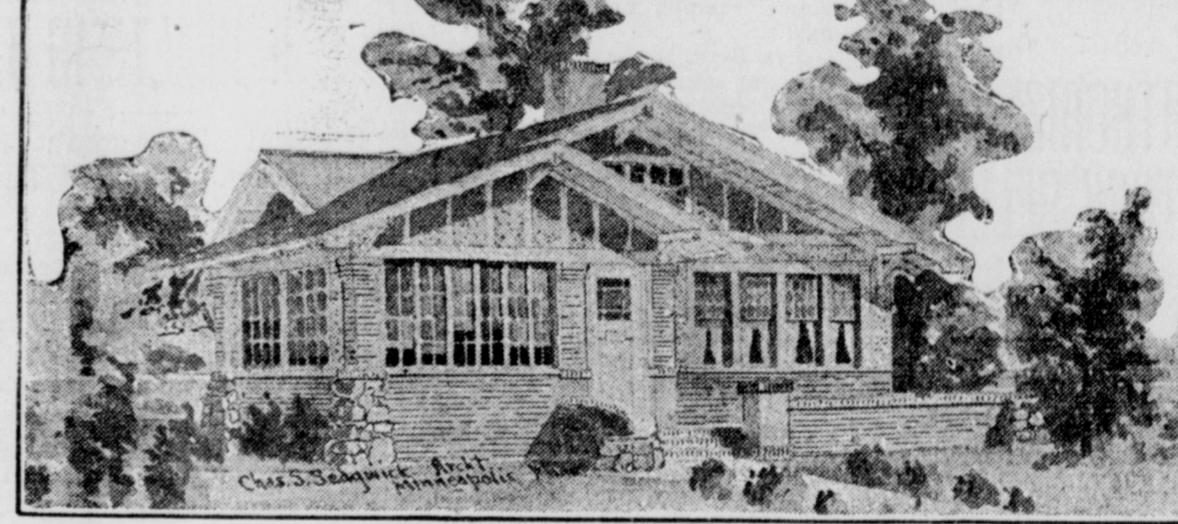
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#### AN ARTISTIC BUNGALOW DESIGNED BY CHAS. S. SEDGWICK



THE CALIFORNIA TYPE of bungalow is popular in the east and the above model will likely appeal to many who are planning to build a bungalow home. The Californians have gotten the bungalow plans down to a fine point, so it is little wonder that they are being copied by Eastern home builders, as practically no details are forgotten, thus combining beauty and grace of line with comfort and convenience.

This bungalow home shown today has an exterior finish of "Texture" brick to windowsills with stucco above. The corner pier of cobble stones and a wide brick terrace give it the rugged, artistic appearance that is the secret pride of the home builder.

There is but one main floor with an attic above that is meant for storage purposes only. However, there is a full basement, laundry, furnace room, etc., so that there cannot be the objection raised that it squats right on the ground, as so many modern bungalows do.

All the rooms are exceptionally well lighted. There are two bed rooms and bath room which are sep-

arated from the living quarters of the house by a hallway, thus gaining privacy, and there is a large living room with open fireplace, a sun room, directly off from it, a dining room, with a charming group of windows assuring it always of being a bright sunny spot, and in the rear a pantry, modern kitchen and a

# Social and Personal

## ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT..

AT EVENING PARTY

Many in this city will be interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Theima Adams, of Yellow Springs to Mr. Donald Vance of Delaware, Ohio, which was made at a charmingly arranged evening party given at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Littleton at her home on Corry Street, Yellow Springs, Friday evening.

Each guest of the evening was asked to write a verse of poetry on "spring," the verse composed by one of the guests of the evening bearing the announcement. The marriage of Miss Adams and Mr. Vance will take place May 5, at the home of Miss Adams' parents on Corry Street, Yellow Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Vance will reside in Columbus where Mr. Vance is employed in advertising work.

After the games and contests of the evening were played refreshments were served.

The gusts of the evening included The Misses Theima Adams, Ruth Alexander, Clara Zell, Ferol Ralston Alice Gaehr, Mildred Stewart, Edna Huston, Bernice Taylor, Bessie Kershner, Florence Johnson, Frances Shaw, Arnetta Hopping, Mervil Funderburg, Esther Hughes, Vandale Hughes, Mary Gertrude Carr, Florence Welch, Marie Drak, Dorothy Drake, Mrs. R. O. Wead, and the Misses Lawrence and Stickney of Springfield.

## CLEVER PROGRAM GIVEN BY SOCIETY.

A carefully arranged program was enjoyed by members of the Woman's Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Aultman, on North Detroit Street, Friday afternoon.

The first feature of the program was a bible acrostic exercise, which, when finished, spelled the words "foreign missions."

"Thanksgiving Ann," a clever playlet, was given next, the characters being taken by Mr. and Mrs. George Street, Mrs. Wilbur Street, and Robert Stevens. The theme of the playlet dealt with the success of a cook in a rich family teaching the family their duty to give freely to missions. The play was of especial interest since the meeting was the thank offering session of the society.

Mrs. C. S. Ramsey, of Springfield, district corresponding secretary of the society was represented and made an address on the work of the district painting a word picture of the mission work.

A social hour, with refreshments, was enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

## PROGRAM GIVEN AT GRANGE MEETING

"Tangles" was the subject of the clever playlet given before the members of the Xenia Grange, at the regular meeting held Friday night. Six young people took part in the play, who were as follows: Miss Lois Hutchison, Miss Grace Lyte, Mr. Lyle Delph, Mr. Ersie Hutchison, Mr. Millard Burrell and Mr. Russel Fudge.

Music by the Grange Orchestra was enjoyed following the play with a selection by a quartette composed of Miss Ruth Grant, Miss Margaret Burrell, and Miss Phoebe Burrell. A reading by Mr. William Short, and a piano duet by Mrs. Homer Mansfield and Miss Mary Mansfield, closed the program. Fifty members were present for the program.

## RECENT BRIDE HONORED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Byford James, (Millie McCoy) a recent bride, was honored by several of her friends of the Ludlow District School, where she has been instructor, at the school house Friday afternoon.

The affair was planned as a surprise, and Mrs. James received many beautiful and useful gifts. After an Arbor Day program was given by the school. Refreshments were served.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THIMBLE CLUB

Officers were elected at the meeting of the Degree of Pocahontas Thimble Club, at the Red Men's Hall, Friday afternoon. Mrs. William Smith, was elected president of the club, and Mrs. Charles Moore, secretary; and Mrs. Charles Reese, re-elected treasurer.

Seventeen members were present at the meeting, the committee for the afternoon being Mrs. Charles Reese, Mrs. Charles Moore, and Mrs. Hazel Griffy.

Refreshments were served at the close of the business meeting.

## COUNTY PRESIDENT GIVES TALK BEFORE UNION

Mrs. Carrie L. Flatter, county president of the W. C. T. U., gave an interesting talk before the members of the Xenia W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. M. A. Yeager, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Flatter's talk dealt with the different evils which the national organization is combating, and the method employed in overcoming them.

Miss Iavell Yeager gave two piano solos for the benefit of the members, following Mrs. Flatter's talk.

A refreshment course was served by Mrs. Yeager, who was assisted by Mrs. John Dymond. Twenty-five members were present.

## RETURNS HOME AFTER VACATION IN WEST

Delmar Compton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Compton, of Spring Valley, who has been spending the last eight months on a ranch in Colorado returned home last week. He was accompanied by his cousin Miss Mildred Edwards, of Jefferson, Iowa, who will spend several months at the Compton home.

Tuesday evening a company of over seventy friends of Mr. Compton called at his home and surprised him. The evening was spent with games and music, a lunch being served at a late hour.

## PARCEL SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

Honoring Mrs. Ralph Watkins,

(Mildred Mendenhall) a recent bride Miss Rosa Johnson, entertained with a parcel shower, at her home in Spring Valley, Friday evening.

Nineteen guests were received during the evening, which was spent with contests and music. A delicious refreshment course was served late in the evening.

Mrs. Watkins received many lovely gifts which were arranged on the dining room table of the Johnsons.

## ENTERTAIN AT DINNER THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy entertained at dinner, Thursday evening, covers being laid for Mrs. J. Ivan Murphy, of Lorain, Miss Christine Brown, Mr. Joseph Murphy and Mrs. Charles Murphy, of Urbana and Mrs. George Kelly, Mrs. R. M. Smart and Mr. Frederick Flynn of this city.

The all day meeting of the Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will be held Wednesday, April 12th, second division in charge.

Mrs. Bert Taylor and Mrs. Clint Sanders will entertain the Pythian Sisters, at a thimble party, Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Taylor on East Second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pope, of Indianapolis are spending a few days with Mrs. Pope's mother, Mrs. Caroline Pressinger, of East Main Street, Mrs. Pressinger is gradually improving from her recent illness.

All members of the degree staff of Obedient Council No. 160 Daughters of America are asked to be present, Tuesday evening, April 11th, for team practice. Initiation will be held April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson, of Columbus Street, were called to New Weston, Ohio, Saturday morning by the serious illness of Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Mary C. Bell.

Mrs. L. R. Gillies, who has been spending the past week with her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Huston, of West Church Street, returned to her home in New Castle, Indiana, Thursday night.

The Aid Society of Trinity M. E. Church will hold an all day sewing meeting at the church Tuesday, April 11. Each member is asked to bring a covered dish and sandwiches. The 3rd division L to S will be in charge.

Tom Huston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Huston, of West Church Street, is recovering rapidly from the appendicitis operation he underwent at the Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, two weeks ago. He is now able to be about part of the time.

Members of the Junior Order Lodge, are sponsoring a dance to be given at the lodge hall, Friday evening. Both round and square dancing will be enjoyed at the affair, the admission being twenty five cents for women and fifty for men.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Oliver, of 434 East Third Street, are the proud parents of an eight-pound baby son, born Monday.

At regular meeting of Sarah M. Chew Society will be held, Monday, April 10. Those not having paid their dues are asked to do so at this time. Mrs. Charles Cross' group in charge.

**Another Son of Kaiser Is Tiller of Soil**



Prince Eitel Friedrich

Two candidates, Harvey Coates, and Albert Starks were initiated into Xenia Aerie, No. 1639, Fraternal Order of Eagles, at the regular meeting held at the lodge rooms Friday night. The initiatory work was in charge of the lodge degree team.

A class of twenty seven candidates was initiated into the lodge, during exercises held Tuesday night.

The work that evening was in charge of the degree team from the Red Men's Lodge. A banquet followed.

Another class of candidates will be initiated into the lodge on the fifth of May, it is announced.

## PHOTO BOOTH POOR PLACE TO LEAVE PURSE; MONEY GONE

Miss Emma Dymond, who is a student in nurses' training at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, lost her purse containing \$13 and a check on a Cleveland bank, in Springfield, Friday, while on her way to this city, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dymond, Washington and Monroe Streets.

Miss Dymond left her purse, gray with a silver clasp, on the telephone in a booth at the I. C. and E. traction station when she left the booth.

Returning, the purse was gone. Miss Dymond reported the matter to Springfield police.

## MINIATURE CYCLONE CAUSES BIG DAMAGE

Athens, O., April 8—Thousands of dollars damage was done in Albany, south of here last night when a miniature cyclone swept through the southwestern part of the village. A score of homes and barns were unroofed. Orchards were leveled and telephone poles blown down. The Baptist church of the village was almost demolished. The damage through the countryside was also extensive.

## HARDING WILL NOT IMPAIR U. S. CIVIL SERVICE OPERATION

Washington, April 8.—Any intention by President Harding to impair the operation of the civil service law was specifically disclaimed by White House officials yesterday after the president's recent bureau of engraving dismissals again had been the target of Democratic attacks.

The intention of the chief executive was said by officials in his confidence, was not in any sense to break down the spirit or the letter of the civil service regulations, but rather to improve the efficiency of governmental machinery under those regulations.

The president was said to take the position that as head of the government, he is responsible for efficient governmental administration. If there is anything in the civil service that tends to tie the hands of the executive, it was said, it will be looked into, but without any effort to undermine or attack the civil service system.

It was also asserted that there is no intention at present of changing the method of selecting postmasters under the presidential appointment. The system under which the present administration is working, that is of taking one of the three highest under a competitive examination, is regarded by the White House as giving, on the whole, fairly good satisfaction.

The administration recognizes that there is considerable criticism in some quarters over the present method of selecting postmasters; however, and officials suggested that if there was too much irritation the president might be forced to withdraw some postmasters from under the modified civil service plan.

An alternative had been suggested, it was added, for the president, in case, the irritation increased, to withdraw the first, second and third class postmasters from the civil service, where they were placed by executive order, and to have persons desiring appointment as postmasters to take a civil service examination upon recommendation of their congressmen so that postmasters could be named from this list.

It was made clear, however, that the administration had no intention of abandoning the present system.

Democrat senators yesterday renewed their attack on the administration's civil service record with renewed complaint against the bureau of engraving dismissals, which, in turn were defended by Republican senators.

## XENIAN HONORED BY TRIP WEST AS Y. W. C. A. DELEGATE

Miss Cleo Hurley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurley, of this city, will leave Wednesday, April 19, for Hot Springs, Arkansas, as a delegate to the National convention of the Young Women's Christian Association, which convenes there from April 20 to April 27. Miss Hurley is head of the welfare department of the National Cash Register Company of Dayton and is president of the N. C. R. Girl's club these positions being factors in her being the company's selection as delegate to the convention.

She will be accompanied by Miss Elsie Mitchell, a private secretary of the N. C. R., who will be her secretary during the trip. Upon her return trip Miss Hurley and Miss Mitchell will visit St. Louis and other points in the west and will return to Dayton by way of Chattanooga, Tennessee, where they will visit many points of interest, of which they will report upon their return. The entire expenses of the trip will be paid by the N. C. R. Company.

Notice—A great financial rally tonight. The contest of a friendly rivalry between the men and women to raise the largest amount will close tonight. All books and reports for this rally are requested to be turned in tonight, so that full credit may be given to the deserving and faithful contestants.

## MECHANIC DISCOVERS RATTLE AND NOISE IN FORD DUE TO REMAINS OF LAWN MOWER TIED TO REAR OF CAR

C. W. Whitmer, local attorney fastened a lawn mower to the rear of his Ford sedan at his home on Hill street Friday afternoon, to take the grass cutter to a shop for sharpening purposes. Having fastened it securely, he set about forgetting all about it.

## Wisconsin's Governor Does Some Hiking



Governor J. J. Blaine

Governor James J. Blaine, of Wisconsin, believes hiking is essential to good health. In his hiking togs he covers many miles each day.

## CAMBRIDGE'S RELAY TEAM WINS FOUR MILE RACE

London, April 8.—Running true to form, Cambridge's relay team today won over Pennsylvania and Oxford in the four mile race at Queens club.

Pennsylvania finished second. The time was 18 minutes 7 2-5 seconds, lowering the British record.

The Cambridge team was a heavy favorite in the betting. Rain had been falling for several hours when the race was started and the track was a heavy one. Cambridge jumped into the lead in the first mile and held it throughout. Oxford held second place at the end of the first mile, but Pennsylvania went into second place during the second mile.

## EAST END NEWS

St. John's A. M. E. Church, Rev. J. U. Gumbs, Pastor. Sunday services as follows: 10:45 a. m. worship and sermon by Prof. H. H. Summers, of Wilberforce University. 12:30 p. m. Sunday school. Supt. Prof. S. R. Singer. 6 p. m. Allen Endeavor League, topic, "The Master's Invitation." The League choir will render a special program. 7 p. m. worship and sermon by Prof. H. H. Summers.

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## SLAYS WHOLE FAMILY

Paris, April 9.—In a fit of madness last evening Emile Baysang at Strasbourg murdered his wife and seven children, all under eleven years of age. Baysang fled towards the Swiss front after the murders.

The police say two of the other men have police records and the fourth, who appeared to be the leader, is said to be a Boston broker. The bonds were stolen when the safe in the church was blown open.

## Never, Never News

## PAWBROKER LENDS \$25.00 ON BRONZE HIGH-SCHOOL MEDAL! ISADORE ITCHINGPALMSKY SAYS HE FEELS SURE YOUTH WILL REDEEM IT FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS.



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A square or so past the sharpener's shop one wheel of the mower collapsed, spilling certain necessary internal parts on the highway. A little later, the other wheel gave away under the strain and scattered its contents on the paved street. The remains dangled clattering at the end of the handle while Mr. Whitmer drove to the Ford agency and shouted for a mechanic to investigate the noise in the machine.

Frank H. Wike, foreman of the repair department of the Ford agency, responded to the S. O. S. The engine purred smoothly while the machine was standing still, but when the car was set in motion, the noise indicated that the back end of the Sedan was about to disperse. The mechanic drove the car for a half-hour and then brought it back to the shop.

He was about to give up when a fellow mechanic asked the attorney why the debris was tied to the rear end of the machine. Mr. Whitmer bought a new lawn-mower. The "knock" in his machine cost him \$11 outlay for the new grass cutter.

Occasionally one comes across an incident in the path of life that gives further proof that the world is a very happy place, and many small joys go to make up its being worth-while.

The occasion of the celebration of their seventy-first wedding anniversary by Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Davis, of Lake Street, Friday, is an example. To complete seventy-one years of wedded life, sharing each other's joys and sorrows, and to come to that time surrounded by the love and kindness of friends and relatives, is the honor of which few couples may boast.

In their little cottage on Lake Street, the aged couple lives and finds that the world holds many things worth living for.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have lived in Xenia for over fifty years. Mr. Davis who is in his ninety-fourth year, was, before his retirement, a bridge builder and carpenter. Despite his advanced age his mind is still fresh, and he is able to recall many events which happened more than a half century ago in this city.

With the exception of his failing eyesight and hearing, he is in fairly good health.

Mr. Davis was born near Uniontown Pa., and is a veteran of the Civil War. His wife, who was before her marriage, Sarah Frances Fettell is 5 years his junior, and was born in Cincinnati. She too is exceptionally bright and is active for her years.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have three children living, two sons and one daughter, Mrs. Fannie Fauber, of near Xenia, George Davis, of Lansing, Michigan, and Alva Davis, of Hamilton. A granddaughter, Mrs. James Harris, resides on Lake Street.

Several members of the Sunshine Society called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Friday, and

# Editorial

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## HARDING AIDS AT BIG SHAKE-UP.

The Harding Administration, undeterred by the din which has followed the dismissal of the executive heads of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, has determined upon a policy of ridding the Treasury Department of McAdoo appointees and placing the jobs in the hands of individuals who will work in harmony with the existing Government.

A clean-up of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, in which scores of minor officials there and in other departments who took office in wartime and were placed in civil service by the Wilson Administration, will lose their jobs, is in sight, unless the President alters what is said to be his present attitude.

A state of chaos, Administration officials assert, exists in the Revenue Bureau, which has aroused the resentment of the business interests of the country, Republican and Democratic alike. The bureau is eighteen months behind in its work, and the Government finds itself unable to collect nearly \$1,000,000 in taxes due from accounts which have not been adjusted.

Business interests owing those amounts and knowing the great bulk of them must be paid eventually, are vainly endeavoring to reach a settlement with the Government through the red tape and what is said to be the gross inefficiency of the tax units.

Senator New, of Indiana, leading the defense, said: "There were good and sufficient reasons for the action of the President. Whether or not they will be made public I do not know, but the lamentations of the Democrats are merely because a great many of the faithful are about to be separated from Government positions."

"There never was a more partisan Administration than that which went out of office in 1921," he continued. "The Government departments are filled up with incompetents. A business man coming to Washington and trying to reach the head of a department had to elbow his way through a crowd of underlings like the crowd around a circus ticket office. It is like a salmon run in Alaska in the spring."

## \$150,000 FROM CARNEGIE FUND TO REBUILD TOWN IN FRANCE.

Senator D'Estournelles de Constant, president of the European Center of the Carnegie Foundation for International Peace, Paris, announced to correspondents the gift of \$150,000, or approximately 1,600,000 francs, which the New York headquarters designated to be used in the reconstruction of a town in the devastated area.

The Minister of Devastated Regions chose the town of Farniers, in the Aisne district, which is in the area that is still a total ruin, as suitable for the project, and it is planned to commence work immediately. The town will be built after the trustees' plans for a model French town, having a central square where the main routes converge and flanked by a town hall, schools, theater, library, baths and adorned with public monuments. Contrary to the plan of most French towns, which group the houses in rows about the church, each building will be detached, with lawns and gardens between.

Farniers, two hours north of Paris, was decorated with the Croix de Guerre for its valiant defense. Only a few of its walls are left. Ambassador Herrick will place the first stone in July.

Other recent gifts of the Foundation to France include the sum of 3,000,000 francs to rebuild the library at Rheims, a library to the University of Paris and 5,000,000 francs to the French hero fund. Senator Constant, expressing deep gratitude for France and for the people of Farniers, declared the object of the Foundation in promoting international peace was never better realized than in the service of rebuilding homes. He explained that the people of the town were insistent on calling the main square "Place Carnegie."

## LINCOLN'S APPEAL FOR LOYALTY TO LAW.

Let every American, every lover of liberty, every well-wisher to his posterity, swear never to violate in the least particular the laws of the country, and never to tolerate their violation by others. As the patriots of seventy-six did to the support of the Declaration of Independence, so to the support of the Constitution and laws let every American pledge his life, his property and his sacred honor. Let every man remember that to violate the law is to trample on the blood of his father, and to tear the charter of his own and his children's liberty. Let reverence for the laws be breathed by every American mother to the lisping babe that prattles on her lap; let it be taught in schools, in seminaries, and in colleges let it be written in primers, spelling books and almanacs; let it be preached from the pulpit, proclaimed in the legislative halls, and enforced in courts of justice.

## THE OBERLIN COLLEGE ELM.

What interesting stories could be told if, for instance, a hundred year-old tree could speak the American language. The famous Oberlin College Elm could tell things of an historical character that would fill a volume. Beneath this tree in the year 1833—eighty-nine years ago—was built the first little log cabin, destined later to become the beginning of Oberlin College, which is now the leading Congregational school of the world. The tree is located at the corner of the campus and is beloved by every student of the institution.

Oberlin was the first college in the world to admit women with men. That was considered a remarkable departure in the conduct of educational affairs at that time. Men and women, who are now snowy-haired grandparents, can happily recall the joyous days when they sat beneath this giant old elm.

When Oberlin College was started on its career, within the shade of this tree, the entire countryside was pretty much a howling wilderness. Today this progressive college has a student body of 1,600, and an endowment fund of \$7,200,000. Its graduates may be found in every State in the Union and every country on earth. Two of them at present occupy prominent positions in public life at Washington—Theodore E. Burton, member of the House of Representatives, and Wayne B. Wheeler, attorney for the Anti-Saloon League of America.

State Legislature of Delaware has handed down a decision that every man and woman over 21 years of age residing in that State must pay a filing fee of three dollars at the time of making income tax returns. This necessitates every adult making an income tax return whether he or she has an income or not. The revenue derived from these fees is to be devoted to the schools in the State.

## THE FLOWERS THAT BLOOM IN THE SPRING TRA LA!



## 1902--Twenty Years Ago--1922

The Xenia Driving Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing year, President Wm. Dodds, vice president, R. S. Kingsbury; treasurer, T. Daies Kyle.

A meeting of the city school board was held last night and preparations were made for the bond issue for the purpose of constructing the Orient Hill and West Market Street school buildings.

The Bocklett machine shop is just now having a boom, the quarters occupied by it having been enlarged, new machinery having been put in and business about the establishment being on the rush.

Mr. Jacob Baldner and his friends left at noon today in an automobile for a trip to Chicago. They expect to make a hundred miles a day and the journey will doubtless prove a pleasant one.

Frank Long and family of Clark County were guests Sunday of his son, Ed Long and family. They formerly resided near Alpha.

Mr. and Mrs. William Briedenour and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Whelbanger and son, Calvin, Jr., of Belmont were recent Sunday supper guests of Homer Koogler and wife.

Thomas Lovett and wife spent Sunday with relatives at West Manchester.

A Young Peoples' Society was organized at the Conservative Dunkard Church Sunday afternoon and the following officers were elected to serve until August: President, Mrs. Harry Haverstick; secretary, Toy Pierster; treasurer, Homer Koogler; choirister, Miss Thelma Brewer. Regular meetings will be held every two weeks on Sunday evenings at the church. A special Easter program will be given at 7:30 p. m. Easter Sunday.

Robert, the little three weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Turner (Edna Lantz) died at the home of his parents Friday, March 24, after a six day's illness with influenza, and was buried at Beaver Cemetery Monday. The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Moyer. Surviving little Robert are his parents, and two sisters, Thelma, Lewis, Jr., Ralph, Frederick and Jesse.

**FEELS LIKE A NEW WOMAN**  
"I was a sufferer from kidney trouble for several years," writes Mrs. Arthur Demulie, R. F. D. 1, Grasmere, N. H., "and suffered so much I felt completely lame all over. Since I have been taking Foley Kidney Pills I am not so lame. My back ached all the time and my eyes were all a blur. Now I can see fine and feel like a different woman. Since I have taken two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills I don't have that tired feeling. I can do my own work now. They bring quick results." Sayre & Hemphill.

**TO-MORROW—Some Household Hints from Readers.**

## CEDARVILLE

The Research Club of Cedarville, held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. L. D. Parker, Thursday afternoon. An excellent program was in charge of Mrs. McElheney. A carefully prepared paper was read by Mrs. Bird. Mrs. Busler gave a beautiful instrumental solo and Miss Ethel Brapdt gave an interesting and instructive talk on travel, in which she compared the travel in foreign countries with that in our own land, and gave an excellent description of the home of one of our writers, Jean Stratton Porter, whose home is near the chain of lakes in northern Indiana.

A vocal solo by Mrs. Johnson closed this excellent program.

A two course lunch was served, in which the approaching Easter was portrayed.

The Cedarville Rangers Club gave their program to the Xenia High School Friday morning at 10 o'clock to an appreciative audience. A one act play "The French Interpreter" by Misses Ruth McPherson and Lucile Johnson, Wilbur White, Willard Kyle, LaClede Markle and George Colman. Readings by Misses Florence Smith, Eloise Davis and Marjorie McClelland vocal duet by Misses Lucile Johnson and Dorothy Oglesbee, quartet by Wilbur White, George Colman, Willard Kyle and LaClede Markle, and talks by Dr. McChesney and Prof. Allen. This club is giving this program in interest of the college, and visited Bellbrook and Spring Valley for afternoon and evening.

## Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

### OUTCLASSED.

When Ananias was on deck he sprung his falsehoods day by day; he strove to make the truth a wreck, succeeding, in a modest way. He did his best, and if his best was cheap, compared with modern curves, we should not flout him with a jest, denying praise that he deserves. We should not greet with ribald jeers the liars of an age gone by; we should not scorn the pioneers who first discovered how to lie. There were no oil stocks to be sold when Ananias blazed the way; there were no salted mines where gold was shown, come-ons every day. There were no offices in sight, no candidates the snaps desired; there were no burbling blubs to write, in praise of books that made men tired. Financial wizards didn't sell blue sky to boos unknown to fame, and so there was no chance to tell a falsehood worthy of the name. There were no yearly almanacs in which to boost some wooden pills; men knew not how to dodge a tax, or sidestep merchants' monthly bills. The world was than a simple place where people toiled and paid their debts, and it is surely no disgrace if Ananias missed some debts. He bravely warred against the truth, with tireless if misguided zest, and if his efforts were uncouth, he surely tried to do his best.

## Today's Talk

by George Matthew Adams

### WE GO!

Austin Dobson, the English poet, once wrote a most unusual couplet, full of meaning. Here it is:

"Time goes, you say? Ah, No!

Alas, time stays. We go."

Like single members in a procession, we tread on. Our little acts and efforts are what we leave for Time to play with as it will.

But WE go! Into an eternity of which we know nothing.

And yet our intelligence teaches us that we have nothing to fear and everything to hope for. And every worthy act or thought which we give out in this life is a preparation for the way ahead.

Keats, Shelley, Byron, Pope, Burns, were hardly more than boys when they died. But their work stayed with Time and will last as long as Time stays with human being.

We go!

But time stays to shape out, and complete the things which we have so feebly started.

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being asked for information as to the last moments of the Chief, he replied, "Him go on long sleep. Him all right."

We are all going toward a long sleep. Every rising sun tells us that this is true. But it also tells us that it is all right.

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ELLANOR DIMMITT, Beauty Shop, Soap Treatment, Facial Treatment, Shampooing, Manicure, Special treatment for dandruff and falling hair, 10½ North Detroit St, Bell 213, Xenia, Ohio. 4-11

Largest 8-piece \$4.00 toilet combination ever offered agents for 30¢ with 75¢ package of Soap FREE. Send no money. United States Soap Works Inc., 74 Park Place, New York 1-3

GIRLS—Why be out of a position? Learn beauty culture under the best system. Harper improved and become independent by owning your own business. Write for booklet, Hansen School of Beauty, 215 Erie Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. 4-11

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100 MEN'S clothing cleaned, pressed, repaired, mended. Prices reasonable. 30 West Main St. Up Stairs. 710

AMERICAN TAILORS, Spring suits \$15.00 up, Real custom tailoring. 30 West Main St. Up Stairs. 4-10

PAPER HANGING, furniture finishing and upholstering. A Stark, Bell phone. 4-24

USE THE BEST 100% Pennsylvania Tractor Oil. The Xenia Oil Co. 3-11t

ALFRED MORGAN, 1220 E. Church, everybody that wishes to put in cane. There will be a mill placed near Morgan Run Church. 4-13

SKATING at rink Saturday night, Bring skates. 4-8

THE WELL KNOWN Stallion and Jack, known as the A. E. Beam Stallion and Jack will make the season at the old stand in Spring Valley, Bell 29X2, Residence 32L W. A. Coyle. 4-12

PASTURE—For rent commencing May 1, Three dollars monthly in advance. John Harbine Allen bldg. Both phones. 4-29

AUCTIONEER—Jesse Stanley, For dates call W. C. Smith's store, New Burlington, O., Harveyburg, 7-232. My price, one per cent. 6-7-22

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HOME Avenue Garage all kinds of repair work done on automobiles at reasonable price. 4-8

LAWN MOWERS, Plough shears and horse clippers sharpened. Radiator repairing all makes done right. King Grinding Co., rear Arv Motor Sales Co. 4-1

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PLUMBING REPAIR work best and quickest service. Asa T. Price, 29 1/2 Green Street, Bell 398 Ctr. 4-20

DON'T MAKE A MISTAKE in negotiating small auto troubles. They make big ones. Try Baldwin Motor. 6-25-22tlyr

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NOTICE HAVING been duly appointed by the VINE COOPERATIVE, Cedarville as authorizer, Vault Cleaner I am now prepared to take care of your vault. Please notify me, or address P. O. Box No. 7, Cedarville, Ohio, Eliza Shingledecker. 4-10

Local IDEAL ELECTRIC CARPET Cleaners call for your rugs and carpets. We have 1,500 satisfied customers in Xenia. We have installed a new porcess for shampooing rugs at a very low cost. Work called for and delivered within seven miles of Xenia, 1¢ per square foot. Bell 923W 5-4

R. B. JOHNSON, wall paper cleaning, old paper made to look like new. Painted walls washed, 636 East Main St., Xenia, O. Bell phone 778W 4-8

FURNITURE—Upholstering and re-pairing called for and delivered from one to ten miles around Xenia, Elmer Wayrich, 1441 Huffman avenue, Dayton, Ohio. Will be in Xenia April 27 or 28. Send in your address 4-23

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## OSBORN AND BATH MAY UNITE SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY VOTE

Osborn Village and Bath Township school districts will vote on centralization of schools which will mean unification of the two school districts some time within the next 30 days.

This decision was reached by the County Board of Education at its meeting Friday afternoon at the office of County Superintendent of Schools H. C. Aulman, after hearings a committee of citizens from Bath Township members of the Bath Grange and representatives of the school boards.

At present Osborn Village and Bath Township school districts are operated separately, but it is claimed, that owing to present conditions, neither can hope to continue to maintain a first grade high school much longer, necessitating action of some kind, to keep the standard of the schools up.

For this reason the joint boards are proposing consolidation of the two school districts, the establishment of a centralized school and the erection of a new high school building in the village. At the special election to be held sometime within the next 30 days however, centralization will be the only proposition submitted, and if it carries, the question of a bond issue to carry out the plan will be submitted to the electors later.

The County Board did not consider the single petition filed by residents of New Jasper Township School district, asking for transfer to another school district, at the meeting Friday, and no other petitions besides that one were filed with the board although a number of New Jasper township residents were present at the meeting.

The board adjourned to meet next Friday afternoon at one o'clock at which time it will consider the petition presented asking for transfer, and signed by four property owners, and also all other petitions asking for transfer that may be filed before that time.

## LOCAL BASEBALL CLUB PLAYS FIRST GAME SUNDAY

The Bayliff Baseball Club will play its opening game of the season, when it meets the Springfield Red Sox at its Washington Street Park, Sunday afternoon.

The game will be called at two thirty, and a good crowd is expected for the first game of the season. Women will be admitted free, it is announced.

The club diamond has not been completed and it is planned to erect a grandstand and bleachers in the near future.

The following is the club line-up: Bath, third base; Stiles and D. Derrick, second base; B. Owens and Day, first base; Leahay and E. Owens, ss; Chambliss and Cooper, p; Randall and Peterson, c; Houck, If; Davis, cf; and Hurley rf.

## EAGLES LOSE GAME

The Bulldogs basketball team won their last game of the season Friday evening by defeating the Central Eagles by the score of 7 to 4.

The first half of the game ended with the score 4 to 3 in favor of the Bulldogs. In a preliminary the Herr Brothers defeated the United 14 to 13. The lineup and summary:

Bulldogs (7)      Eagles (4)  
Keible ..... L F ..... Buell  
Shoup ..... R F ..... McCallister  
Comfort ..... C ..... Davidson  
Neville ..... L G ..... Gibney  
Killeen ..... R G ..... Davidson  
Field Goals: Comfort 1, Killeen 1, Herr 1, Davidson 1, McCallister 1.  
Foul Goals: Shoup 1.

## TO OPEN SEASON

The Xenia Reds baseball team has organized for the coming season, and has obtained all new uniforms, in anticipation of opening the season Easter Sunday at Phillipsburg.

The team will meet Sunday at the home of George Ewing, 106 Bellbrook Avenue, at 12:30 o'clock, and all players who expect to get in the game on the following Sunday must be present at this meeting. "Monk" Day Walter Jones, and "Bud" Pratt, take especial notice. Players should bring old uniforms for practice.

## AMERICAN SOCIETY CIVIL ENGINEERS CLOSES SESSION

Dayton, O., April 8.—The American Society Civil Engineers closed its annual session last night following an afternoon of thrills at McCook Field. The afternoon program consisted of demonstrations of radio controlled automobile, radio messages from an airplane 3,000 feet in the air, tall spins and nose dives and a lot of other aerial stunts. Parachutes were demonstrated and pilots put forty different airplanes through their paces to show the engineers what could be done.

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

They say that wealth brings discontent, That joys are best for which we pay, And yet I felt a happy thrill Because I found a dime today.



## BRINGING UP FATHER



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BY GEORGE M'MANUS

## Of Interest to the Farmer

### ENROLLMENTS IN BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUBS ARE NOW BEING REPORTED IN

The enrollments in the various Boys and Girls' Clubs, in the county are coming in rapidly, according to County Agent Ford S. Prince, who reports that the poultry clubs are practically all in and the others are being rapidly formed.

The prospects are unusually bright for a good club year in Greene County," said Mr. Prince, Friday, "and there will be at least four hundred boys and girls enrolled in the various clubs."

The leaders of the clubs in the various townships are as follows:

Township	Leader
Bath	Mrs. N. J. Kuriger
Food	Geo. W. Warner
Pig	Mrs. J. W. Rue
Poultry	Fred Keebler
Poultry	Guy Coy
Pig	Mrs. Fox
Food	Emma Cosier
Poultry	J. E. Dowler
Pig	Mrs. W. H. Arthur
Poultry	S. E. Shupp
Pig	Mrs. F. E. Tobias
Poultry	J. B. Mason
Pig	Ray Murray
Poultry	Mrs. Franklin
Pig	Mrs. Hoover
Clothing	Ray Garringer
Pig	Mrs. Ella Fogg
Food	Mrs. G. H. Mellinger
Poultry	Mrs. Chas. Bickett
Pig	E. T. Ballard
Poultry	Mrs. G. M. Keach
Pig	Mrs. E. J. Kelsey
Poultry	H. S. Noggle
Poultry	Mrs. Lampton Smith
Food	Mrs. C. L. Peterson
Pig	J. W. Roland
Poultry	Mrs. Lena Hetsel
Pig	Not yet appointed
Poultry	C. W. Hemmer
Xenia	C. W. Hemmer
Ross	C. W. Hemmer

## Additional Society

### INTERESTING ANNOUNCEMENT MADE AT PARTY, FRIDAY

The engagement of Miss Pauline Finley to Mr. William Nash, well known farmer of the Hook road, was announced to a company of thirty friends of Miss Finley, who were entertained at her home on Chestnut street, Friday evening.

The announcement comes as a pleasant surprise to the many friends of Miss Finley and Mr. Nash. The wedding will be an event of the month of June.

The announcement was made by Miss Finley during one of the games that were featured during the evening. The guests of the evening were given verses to read, that of Mrs. D. D. Dodds, containing the names of Miss Finley and Mr. Nash.

After games, contests and music were enjoyed, the guests were served a prettily appointed refreshment course.

### INTERESTING PAPER GIVEN AT MEETING

"Old Glory in the War" was the subject of the interesting paper, given before the members of Lewis Post, Daughters of Veterans at the regular meeting held at Post Hall, Friday evening. The paper was read by Miss Anna D. Stratton of O. S. and S. O. Home, who is patriotic instructor of the organization.

Miss Stratton is arranging a patriotic program for each of the meetings held by the Daughters of Veterans, in the future.

Elias Bullock, of near Jamestown, is very ill at his home and has been confined to his bed several days.

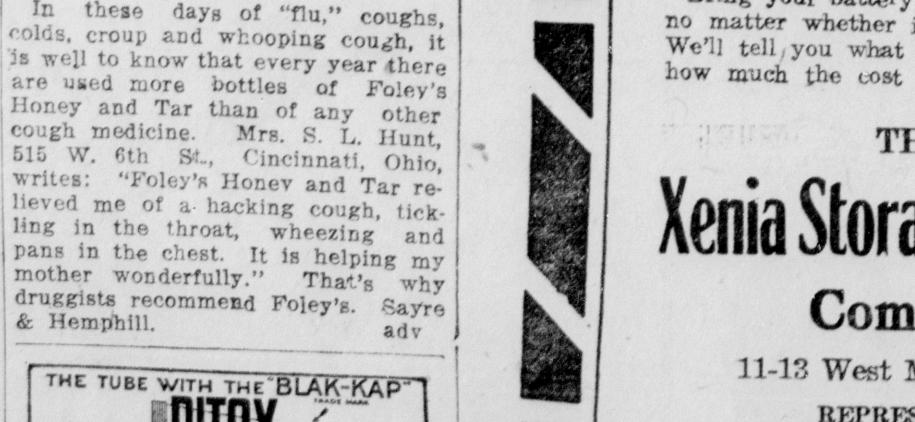
Mrs. Walter Dean has recovered from a recent operation she underwent at the Chillicothe Hospital, and will return to her home on West Market Street, Saturday evening. Her husband, who is connected with the State Bureau of Public Accounting and stationed at Chillicothe, will return with her.

### HELPED HER MOTHER WONDERFULLY.

In these days of "flu," coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, it's well to know that every year there are used more bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar than of any other cough medicine. Mrs. S. L. Hunt, 515 W. 6th St., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar relieved me of a hacking cough, tickling in the throat, wheezing and pains in the chest. It is helping my mother wonderfully." That's why druggists recommend Foley's. Sayre & Hemphill.

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

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## FRUIT BUDS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE INQUIRY SHOWS

Everything is set for one of Ohio's biggest crops of fruit and the prospects now depend on the weather. The most critical season for fruit is during the next few weeks when the buds and blossoms are exposed to late frosts and freezes so that no prediction can be made at this early date of the probable size of the apple, peach, pear, cherry and plum crops. All we can be sure of at this time is that the trees and buds have come through the winter in good condition and if the weather is favorable all indications point to a heavy crop. In only a few sections of the State are adverse conditions found according to reports received by C. J. West, Agricultural Statistician for the State-Federal Crop Reporting Service.

In sections around Toledo the peach prospects were seriously damaged by the cold weather in January though along the Lake Shore and on the Islands no damage is reported. In the Southern parts of the State the buds are somewhat in advance of the normal development at this time of year which means that a frost is likely to cause severe damage. There is a possibility that scale may be worse this year as spraying in some orchards was neglected last year because of the small fruit crop.

C. J. WEST,  
Agricultural Statistician.

### FINAL PLANS MADE FOR NEW MEMBER DRIVE

Plans for the final wind-up in the campaign for members for the Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Association, were made at the meeting of the Farm Bureau of Bowersville, Friday night.

If sufficient members are obtained for the organization, the farmers of Jefferson township will plan for the establishment of a local cream station, it is announced.

### M. D. LINCOLN DISCUSSES GRAIN ELEVATOR PLAN

Dr. John Ayer of West Second Street, has returned from Cincinnati, where he spent the past week, recuperating from his recent illness.

The regular monthly meeting of the Social Service League, will be held Monday evening, at seven thirty o'clock.

The regular meeting of Aldora Chapter, No. 262, O. E. S. will be held Tuesday evening, April 11, at 7:30 o'clock.

The South Side W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. T. E. Craig and Mrs. J. L. Dunlap, at their home on North King Street, Thursday, April 13, at one thirty o'clock. Miss Mary Ervin will give a talk. A full attendance is desired.

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